STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH BUREAU OF REGULATORY SERVICES

In re: White Insulation, Inc.

Petition No. 20000327-053-010

## **CONSENT ORDER**

WHEREAS, White Insulation, Inc. of Bristol, CT (hereinafter "respondent") has been issued license number 000179 to practice as an asbestos contractor by the Department of Public Health (hereinafter "the Department") pursuant to Chapter 400a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended; and,

WHEREAS, respondent admits that:

- 1. In or about February 2000, respondent was the licensed asbestos contractor for an asbestos abatement project at the Bingham School, North Street, Bristol, CT (hereinafter "the property"). Said project involved the removal of approximately 508 square feet of asbestos containing floor tile.
- 2. On or about February 21, 2000, during a Department inspection of the asbestos abatement project at the property, respondent's workers did not adequately wet all asbestos containing floor tile. The workers had disconnected a hose to a pump sprayer and were not continuing to mist the floor tile with the pump sprayer throughout the removal operations. At the request of the Department's inspector, the workers refilled the pump sprayer and continued removal operations using wet methods.
- 3. The above described facts constitute grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to Chapter 400a and §19a-332a(b) of the General Statutes of Connecticut, taken in conjunction with §§19a-332a-1, 19a-332a-2, 19a-332a-5(j), 19a-332a-7(a) and/or 20-440-6(b) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

WHEREAS, respondent, in consideration of this Consent Order, has chosen not to contest this matter and agrees that for purposes of this or any future proceedings before the Department, this Consent Order shall have the same effect as if proven and ordered after a full hearing held pursuant to §§19a-10, 19a-14 and Chapter 400a of the General Statutes of Connecticut.

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to §§19a-14, 19a-17 and Chapter 400a of the General Statutes of Connecticut, respondent hereby stipulates and agrees to the following:

- 1. Respondent waives its right to a hearing on the merits of this matter.
- 2. Respondent's license number 000179 to practice as an asbestos contractor in the State of Connecticut is hereby reprimanded.
- 3. Respondent shall pay a civil penalty of one thousand three hundred dollars (\$1,300.00) by certified or cashier's check payable to "Treasurer, State of Connecticut." The check shall reference the Petition Number on the face of the check, and shall be payable at the time respondent submits the executed Consent Order to the Department.
- 4. Respondent shall comply with all state and federal statutes and regulations applicable to its licensure.
- 5. Respondent shall pay all costs necessary to comply with this Consent Order.
- 6. This Consent Order is effective on the date this Consent Order is accepted and ordered by the Department.
- 7. Respondent understands this Consent Order may be considered as a public document and evidence of the above admitted violations in any proceeding before the Department in which its compliance with this Consent Order or with Chapters 400a or 368l of the General Statutes of Connecticut, as amended, is at issue.
- 8. This Consent Order and terms set forth herein are not subject to reconsideration, collateral attack or judicial review under any form or in any forum. Further, this Order is not subject to appeal or review under the provisions of Chapters 54 or 368a of the General Statutes of

Connecticut, provided that this stipulation shall not deprive respondent of any rights that it may have under the laws of the State of Connecticut or of the United States.

- 9. This Consent Order is a revocable offer of settlement which may be modified by mutual agreement or withdrawn by the Department at any time prior to its being executed by the last signatory.
- 10. Respondent permits a representative of the Legal Office of the Bureau of Regulatory

  Services to present this Consent Order and the factual basis for this Consent Order to the

  Department. Respondent understands that the Department has complete and final

  discretion as to whether this executed Consent Order is approved or accepted.
- 11. Respondent has the right to consult with an attorney prior to signing this document.

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I, Kevin M. White, President of White Insulation	on, Inc., have read the above Consent Order, and I
affirm that I am fully authorized to bind said co	rporation. I hereby stipulate and agree to bind
White Insulation, Inc. to the terms as set forth the	herein. I further declare the execution of this
Consent Order to be my free act and deed.	Kevin M. White, President
Subscribed and sworn to before me this	day of
The above Consent Order having been presente  Commissioner of the Department of Public Hea	
Commissioner of the Department of Public Hea	Ith on the day of
2000, it is hereby acce	epted.
s:llf/white/co	Thomas Furgalack, Director Division of Environmental Health
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